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A Return of the Number and Description of Persons Employed on all the Railways in England and Wales, Scotland, and Ireland, respectively, on the 30th day of June, 1849, at that Date open for Traffic; and, similar Return for all Lines and Branches of Railways which have been Authorized, but which were not opened for Traffic on the 30th day of June, 1849; distinguishing the Length of such Railways on which the Works were in Progress, and the Length on which they were not in Progress at that Date.

	Total Number of Persons Employed upon Railways Open for Traffic on the 30th June, 1849.	Total Number of Persons Employed upon Railways not Open for Traffic on the 30th June, 1849.	Total Number and Description of Persons employed on all Railways (Open and Unopen), authorized to be used for the Convey- ance of Passengers.
Secretaries and Managers	156	142	298
Treasurers	32	7	39
Engineers	107	269	376
Superintendents	314	419	733
Storekeepers	120	182	302
Accountants and Cashiers	138	144	282
Inspectors and Timekeepers	490	821	1,311
Station Masters	1,300	....	1,300
Draughtsmen	103	153	256
Clerks	4,021	421	4,442
Foremen	709	1,421	2,130
Engine Drivers	1,839	....	1,839
Assistant Engine Drivers, and Firemen	1,871	....	1,871
Guards and Breaksmen	1,631	....	1,631
Switchmen	1,540	....	1,540
Gatekeepers	1,361	....	1,361
Policemen or Watchmen	1,508	481	1,989
Porters and Messengers	8,238	118	8,356
Platelayers	5,508	....	5,508
Artificers	10,809	16,144	26,953
Labourers	14,029	83,052	97,081
Miscellaneous Employment	144	42	186
Total	55,968	103,816	159,784

	Miles.	Chains.	Persons Employed.
Total length of Railway open on 30th June, 1849, and Persons employed thereon	5,447	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	55,968
Total length of Railway in course of construction on 30th June, 1849, and Persons employed thereon	1,504	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	103,816
Total length of Railway neither open nor in course of construction on 30th June, 1849	5,132	38 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Total length of Railway authorized to be used for the conveyance of Passengers on 30th June, 1849, and the total number of Persons employed thereon	12,083	70	159,874

Statement of the Monthly Average Price of each Description of Corn, Grain, &c., in England and Wales, from the 5th January, 1849, to the 5th January, 1850; the Average Price of the Year; also, the Average Price at which the Rent-charge in lieu of Tithes is taken for the Year.

Monthly Averages.	Wheat. Per Qr.	Barley. Per Qr.	Oats. Per Qr.	Rye. Per Qr.	Beans. Per Qr.	Peas. Per Qr.
1849.	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
January	45 5	29 7	17 2	27 10	31 5	35 0
February	46 1	29 4	17 2	27 6	30 5	33 2
March	44 11	29 0	16 11	25 8	29 7	32 0
April	44 9	28 8	16 10	24 9	28 8	29 11
May	45 4	28 5	17 7	25 3	30 2	30 9
June	44 7	26 7	17 11	26 3	31 2	31 4
July	48 3	25 11	18 10	27 4	32 2	32 2
August	46 6	26 1	19 1	26 5	31 11	30 2
September	43 3	26 10	18 4	26 1	30 7	29 11
October	41 7	28 0	17 3	24 4	29 0	30 8
November	40 8	28 5	16 11	23 2	29 7	30 5
December	39 3	26 9	16 0	23 5	27 11	29 5

The Average Price of the Year 1849.

Wheat. Per Quarter.	Barley. Per Quarter.	Oats. Per Quarter.	Rye. Per Quarter.	Beans. Per Quarter.	Peas. Per Quarter.
<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
44 3	27 9	17 6	25 8	30 2	31 2

Average Price at which the Rent-charge in lieu of Tithes is taken for the Year, as published in the "London Gazette."

Wheat. Per Bushel.	Barley. Per Bushel.	Oats. Per Bushel.
<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
6 7½	4 1¼	2 8½

An Account of the Total Number of Quarters of Malt made in the United Kingdom between the 10th day of October, 1848, and the 10th day of October, 1849; distinguishing the Quantity made in each Country, and the Quantity used by Brewers and by Victuallers, and by Retail Brewers.

YEAR ENDED 10TH OCTOBER, 1849.				
	Quarters of Malt made.	Quarters of Malt used		
		By Brewers and Victuallers.	By Retail Brewers.	Total.
England.....	4,038,915	3,081,094	378,494	3,459,588
Scotland.....	517,482	108,948	....	108,948
Ireland	193,122	150,609	....	150,609
The United Kingdom	4,749,879	3,340,651	378,494	3,719,145

Return of the Net Produce of the Duty paid on Game Certificates (of each Class,) and upon Licenses for the Sale of Game, for the Years ending the 5th day of April, 1845, 1846, 1847, 1848, and 1849.

	1844, ending 5th April, 1845.	1845, ending 5th April, 1846.	1846, ending 5th April, 1847.	1847, ending 5th April, 1848.	1848, ending 5th April, 1849.
	£	£	£	£	£
Charged on Persons in their own right.....	129,751	129,063	131,822	136,499	119,288
Charges confirmed in Double Duty	4,462	2,150	3,807	3,791	2,845
Gamekeepers (not being Assessed Servants)	1,147	908	848	848	783
Gamekeepers (being Assessed Servants)	2,186	2,103	2,101	2,069	1,903
Licenses for the Sale of Game	2,046	2,103	2,035	2,120	2,063
England and Wales	139,592	136,327	140,613	145,327	126,882

An Account of the Total Number of Acres of Land in Great Britain under the Cultivation of Hops in 1849, distinguishing the Number of Acres in each Collection.

Collections.	Number of Acres.	Collections.	Number of Acres.
Barnstaple	21½	Brought forward	16,664½
Bristol	4	Oxford	1
Cambridge	6	Reading	7½
Canterbury	8,272	Rochester	14,575½
Cornwall	2	Salisbury	5½
Derby	16½	Salop	3
Essex	140	Stourbridge	299
Gloucester	19	Suffolk	132½
Grantham	16½	Surrey	20
Hants	1,607½	Sussex	10,005½
Hereford	5,264	Wales, Middle	22½
Isle of Wight	1,051½	Worcester	1,061
Lincoln	244	Total	42,798
Carried forward	16,664½		

An Account of the Total Number of Pounds Weight of Hops charged with Duty in each of the several Collections of the United Kingdom in the Year 1849.

Collections.	Pounds Weight of Hops charged with Duty.	Collections.	Pounds Weight of Hops charged with Duty.
	Lbs.		Lbs.
Barnstaple	1,222	Brought forward....	5,454,263
Canterbury	3,107,286	Lincoln	28,992
Cornwall	311	Rochester	6,795,116
Derby	1,150	Salisbury	47
Essex	4,059	Stourbridge	74,675
Gloucester	572	Suffolk	40,161
Grantham	485	Sussex	4,028,651
Hants	755,725	Wales, Middle	133
Hereford	1,296,581	Worcester	228,877
Isle of Wight	286,872	Total	16,650,915
Carried forward....	5,454,263		

An Account of the Duty on Hops of the Growth of the Year 1849; distinguishing the Districts, and the Old from the New Duty.

Districts.	Duty.	Districts.	Duty.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Barnstaple	10 13 9 $\frac{3}{4}$	Brought forward....	108,439 6 10 $\frac{1}{4}$
Canterbury	27,188 4 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	Sussex	35,250 2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$
Cornwall	2 14 4 $\frac{3}{4}$	Wales, Middle	1 3 3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Derby	10 1 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	Worcester	2,002 11 11 $\frac{3}{4}$
Essex	35 10 2 $\frac{3}{4}$		
Gloucester	5 0 1	Total	145,693 4 9 $\frac{3}{4}$
Grantham	4 4 10 $\frac{1}{2}$		
Hants	6,612 10 0 $\frac{1}{4}$		
Hereford	11,344 13 10	Old Duty, at 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. }	79,785 12 8 $\frac{1}{4}$
Isle of Wight	2,510 1 9	per lb.	
Lincoln	253 13 4 $\frac{3}{4}$	New duty, at $\frac{3}{4}$ d. }	58,971 19 9 $\frac{3}{4}$
Rochester.....	59,546 14 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	per lb.	
Salisbury	0 8 2	Additional Duty of 5 }	6,935 12 3 $\frac{3}{4}$
Stourbridge.....	653 7 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	per cent. per Act }	
Suffolk.....	351 8 0 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 Vict. c. 17	
Carried forward	108,439 6 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	Total	145,693 4 9 $\frac{3}{4}$

Return of the Number of Persons admitted to view the General Collections of the British Museum in each Month of each Year from 1844 to 1849.

	1844.	1845.	1846.	1847.	1848.	1849.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
January	37,179	23,353	40,737	39,167	57,781	57,791
February	19,705	22,638	36,875	26,113	77,934	49,551
March	26,780	46,452	51,141	37,288	81,424	71,726
April	58,689	43,768	90,625	89,618	78,048	104,752
May	83,876	113,956	51,660	100,468	60,547	95,594
June	59,972	58,970	99,273	96,564	89,546	107,131
July	85,320	82,462	87,210	82,025	111,220	97,055
August.....	66,264	71,393	101,506	80,136	88,585	109,709
September	43,547	53,882	45,119	80,636	66,227	58,670
October	27,374	55,829	43,505	68,834	62,008	76,046
November	20,212	34,181	47,732	39,099	50,256	62,857
December	46,840	78,730	55,218	81,017	75,409	88,191
Total	575,758	685,614	750,601	820,965	897,985	979,073

Number of Visits made to the Reading Rooms, for the purpose of Study or Research, about 1,950 in 1810; 4,300 in 1815; 8,820 in 1820; 22,800 in 1825; 31,200 in 1830; 63,446 in 1835; 67,542 in 1840; 169,303 in 1841; 71,706 in 1842; 70,931 in 1843; 67,511 in 1844; 64,427 in 1845; 66,784 in 1846; 67,525 in 1847; 65,867 in 1848; and 70,371 in 1849.

Number of Visits made by Artists and Students to the Galleries of Sculpture, for the purpose of Study, about 4,938 in 1831; 6,081 in 1835; 6,354 in 1840; 5,655 in 1841; 5,627 in 1842; 4,907 in 1843; 5,436 in 1844; 4,256 in 1845; 4,124 in 1846; 3,508 in 1847; 3,694 in 1848; 6,804 in 1849.

Number of Visits made to the Print Room, about 4,400 in 1832; 1,065 in 1835; 6,717 in 1840; 7,744 in 1841; 8,781 in 1842; 8,162 in 1843; 8,998 in 1844; 5,904 in 1845; 4,390 in 1846; 4,572 in 1847; 5,813 in 1848; 5,970 in 1849.

Statement of the Quantities of each Description of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour Imported into the United Kingdom in the Year 1940, distinguishing the Countries from which Imported.

COUNTRIES FROM WHICH IMPORTED.	Wheat and Wheat Flour	Barley and Barley Meal	Oats and Oatmeal	Rye and Rye Meal	Pearl and Pear Meal	Beans and Bean Meal	Indian Corn and Meal	Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal	Beer or Bisc.	Aggregate of all Sorts.
Russia, Northern Ports.....	Quarters. 48,178	Quarters. 47,491	Quarters. 941,834	Quarters. 3,046	Quarters. 9,804	Quarters. 69	Quarters. 26,540	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 343,124
" Ports within the Black Sea.....	551,378	800	...	...	415	...	...	...	...	577,633
Sweden.....	6,498	11,579	195,805	339	3,577	1,684	...	...	...	219,467
Norway.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	800	3,449
Denmark.....	245,213	677,665	985,913	73,393	62,196	9,879	1,300	...	...	1,380,671
Prussia.....	615,690	344,940	95,353	119,331	95,353	17,803	...	...	...	1,384,694
Mecklenburg Schwerin.....	139,006	93,170	443	969	15,713	...	...	...	...	179,304
Hanover.....	31,231	10,517	133,378	2,795	656	29,788	1,345	...	...	189,608
Oldenburg and Kuiphausen.....	7,838	3,179	39,499	7	...	10,198	...	...	...	60,786
Hanseatic Towns.....	330,914	140,331	51,533	14,631	28,455	25,511	...	...	...	600,306
Holland.....	305,458	13,395	199,713	9,078	8,078	53,958	31	...	43	540,757
Belgium.....	366,099	533	7,631	6,356	7	14,065	67	...	...	394,878
France.....	2,631	295	283	...	17	5	...	...	...	3,161
Channel Islands (Foreign Produce).....	742,033	86,644	1,375	23,158	...	34,763	136,764	163	...	1,035,009
Portugal, Proper.....	2,870	...	...	...	...	...	61,897	...	...	64,857
" Azores and Madeira.....	2,639	...	...	1	...	13	17,315	...	...	19,858
Spain and the Balearic Islands.....	498	...	...	...	2	1	26,504	...	...	27,005
Italy and the Italian Islands, viz. —	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3
Tuscan.....	26,495	...	...	...	...	...	13,403	...	...	41,185
Sardinian Territories.....	70,633	...	...	...	...	...	11,717	...	...	83,424
Papal Territories.....	4,354	...	...	...	...	...	8,977	...	...	13,281
Naples and Sicily.....	5,345	...	...	...	...	62	18	...	...	5,435
Austrian Territories.....	174,654	...	...	...	...	8,031	91,656	...	...	266,939
Malta and Gozo.....	9,049	509	...	...	...	...	18,107	...	...	30,696
Ionian Islands.....	...	...	...	...	...	2,483	5,420	...	...	5,420
Greece.....	61,136	5,533	...	...	...	...	57,684	...	...	126,884
Wallachia and Moldavia.....	47,540	1,605	...	2,047	...	2,568	277,150	...	...	333,343
Egypt.....	139,954	2,900	...	...	...	247,594	13,151	...	...	396,157
Syria and Palestine.....	13,920	2,817	...	...	...	796	8,960	...	...	24,597
Turkish Dominions not particularly enumerated	106,128	13,935	...	1,943	7	...	282,551	...	...	408,389
Morocco.....	...	...	...	...	1	...	760	...	...	761
Algeria.....	...	701	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	701
Western Coast of Africa.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	903
Cape of Good Hope.....	1	...	...	...	2	...	903	...	...	1
British Territories in India.....	2,028	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,031
China.....	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
British Settlements in Australia.....	15,699	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,699
British North American Colonies.....	149,395	...	...	...	...	...	1,700	...	...	185,903
British West Indies and British Guiana.....	28	...	24,068	31	14,818	1	...	...	...	27
Foreign West Indies.....	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
United States of America.....	617,131	...	1,380	11	1,823	78	1,313,545	83	...	1,834,000
Brazil.....	1,031	...	...	...	...	...	1,253	...	...	2,274
Chile.....	17,646	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,646
Peru.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total.....	4,835,280	1,389,853	1,307,904	246,543	236,525	458,651	2,277,224	637	843	10,763,755

EMIGRATION TO CANADA.

Return of the Number of Emigrants Embarked, with the Number of Births and Deaths during the Voyage and in Quarantine, the Total Number Landed in the Colony, distinguishing Males from Females and Adults from Children, with the Number of Souls from each Country; also the Number of Vessels, Tonnage, and Seamen employed, and the Average Length of Passage during the Season of 1849.

Number of vessels, Tonnage, and Seamen employed, and the number of deaths on the passage.

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Return of the Shipping employed in the Trade of the United Kingdom, exhibiting the Number and Tonnage of Vessels that entered Inwards and cleared Outwards (including their repeated Voyages), separating British from Foreign Vessels, also Steam from Sailing Vessels, and distinguishing the Trade with each Country, in the Year 1849.

		Inwards.				Outwards.			
		BRITISH.		FOREIGN.		BRITISH.		FOREIGN.	
		Ships.	Tonnage.	Ships.	Tonnage.	Ships.	Tonnage.	Ships.	Tonnage.
Russia	{ Steam	25	10,790	...	...	22	9,662	...	...
	{ Sailing	2,325	479,893	313	83,591	1,692	340,308	305	60,188
Sweden	{ Sailing	150	18,542	553	92,877	186	17,393	360	47,978
Norway	{ Sailing	10	691	858	126,560	35	5,526	975	142,297
Denmark	{ Steam	43	15,052	8	2,024	10	2,834	...	...
	{ Sailing	450	48,216	1,937	144,043	985	133,368	3,276	306,324
Prussia	{ Steam	...	...	1	461	...	...	1	460
	{ Sailing	1,401	196,499	784	139,384	1,105	153,761	689	121,682
Germany	{ Steam	275	99,363	74	24,198	275	105,090	83	26,490
	{ Sailing	1,144	185,721	1,317	109,934	1,246	216,088	1,407	101,944
Holland	{ Steam	649	150,250	75	14,897	451	105,757	88	17,276
	{ Sailing	1,102	142,659	1,149	108,822	1,061	140,324	956	64,428
Belgium	{ Steam	468	80,420	278	50,135	468	83,049	276	53,779
	{ Sailing	739	55,601	338	48,908	267	17,428	242	22,254
France	{ Steam	1,680	230,412	354	44,904	1,672	234,078	357	45,035
	{ Sailing	9,632	272,842	3,680	298,915	2,215	258,732	3,595	278,354
Portugal, Azores, &c.	{ Steam	9	1,848	...	...	8	2,703	...	...
	{ Sailing	722	70,849	120	11,028	771	82,155	234	36,379
Spain, Canaries, &c.	{ Steam	1	196	1	303	2	473	2	483
	{ Sailing	490	48,477	97	12,805	733	109,577	280	46,212
Gibraltar	{ Steam	36	10,798	...	...	39	12,088	...	...
	{ Sailing	16	1,477	2	182	164	20,391	27	5,152
Italian States	{ Steam	9	2,645	...	...	12	3,887	...	...
	{ Sailing	563	89,595	241	66,935	754	125,588	392	99,135
Malta	{ Steam	1	329	...	...	...	...	...	...
	{ Sailing	54	9,895	...	...	124	25,748	131	28,054
Ionian Islands	{ Sailing	79	10,233	...	332	44	7,017	24	7,187
Greece	{ Sailing	106	14,406	71	20,408	71	10,250	38	11,107
Turkish Dominions ...	{ Steam	28	12,026	...	...	31	12,994	...	...
	{ Sailing	421	81,325	12	3,172	289	57,037	114	30,542
Wallachia & Moldavia ...	{ Sailing	124	20,787	118	30,309	57	8,480	5	1,148
Syria	{ Sailing	25	3,668	...	...	44	6,686	4	892
Africa	{ Steam	12	12,657	...	...	13	12,911	...	...
	{ Sailing	624	169,825	5	1,307	524	139,943	79	18,584
Asia	{ Steam	...	...	...	...	1	927	...	...
	{ Sailing	747	374,586	1	488	928	462,887	31	13,740
America, viz. :—									
British Northern Colonies	{ Steam	1	370	...	...	3	828	...	...
	{ Sailing	2,251	877,218	2	746	1,660	614,922	5	1,088
British West Indies	{ Steam	4	5,982	...	...	18	19,915	...	...
	{ Sailing	746	201,266	...	...	810	221,012	2	348
Foreign West Indies	{ Steam	2	1,438	...	...	3	1,900	...	...
	{ Sailing	314	81,302	100	24,677	313	79,618	154	37,425
United States	{ Steam	45	40,852	13	14,490	47	42,539	12	13,360
	{ Sailing	666	379,315	843	555,375	1,032	614,774	996	626,932
Mexico	{ Steam	11	11,164	...	...	3	3,204	...	...
	{ Sailing	20	3,982	2	676	58	11,544	1	680
Central & Southern States	{ Steam	8	5,382	...	...	1	609	...	...
	{ Sailing	677	197,530	38	8,795	735	222,111	123	31,149
Russian Settlements on North West Coast	{ Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	418
Falkland Islands ...	{ Sailing	...	...	...	...	4	1,107	...	...
Auckland Islands ...	{ Sailing	...	...	...	...	2	662	...	...
Whale Fisheries	{ Sailing	46	11,346	...	...	58	14,777	...	...
Channel Islands	{ Steam	249	41,789	...	...	230	38,696	...	...
	{ Sailing	1,466	101,501	40	4,109	1,112	72,270	10	576
Total		23,646	4,884,210	13,426	2,035,690	22,328	4,785,428	15,275	2,299,060

Return of the Duties paid upon Bricks in England, distinguishing the Amounts paid in the Country and in London, during the Year 1849.

	£	s.	d.
Amount paid in the Country	22,812	18	8½
Ditto in London	26,014	0	7
Total	448,826	19	3½

Return of the Mortality from Disease among the European Troops in Her Majesty's Service in the East and West Indies respectively, showing the Number of Deaths per Cent. on the whole Force employed in each Year, from 1840 to 1848, both inclusive.

Years.	EAST INDIES.			WEST INDIES.		
	Strength.	Deaths from Disease.	Ratio per cent. on Strength.	Strength.	Deaths from Disease.	Ratio per cent. on Strength.
1840.....	19,551	1,441	7·37	5,783	389	6·72
1841.....	21,635	1,477	6·82	5,370	530	9·86
1842.....	26,342	2,588	9·82	5,301	238	4·48
1843.....	28,047	2,154	7·67	5,246	286	5·47
1844.....	26,345	1,480	5·61	4,266	217	5·08
1845.....	26,392	2,205	8·35	4,513	216	4·78
1846.....	25,195	1,899	7·53	4,733	144	3·04
1847.....	25,356	1,165	4·59	3,550	106	2·98
1848.....	23,444	930	3·96	3,981	230	5·77

N.B.—Deaths which occurred in hospitals, the consequence of wounds, are not included in the above Return: of such, during the nine years (from 1840 to 1848 inclusive,) there were 370 in Bengal, 39 in Bombay, 2 in Madras, and 4 in the West Indies.

Abstract showing the Number of Slave Vessels Captured and the Number Condemned; the Number of Slaves Captured, with the Number of Deaths between the Date of Capture and Adjudication, and the Annual per Centage of Mortality, in each Year from 1840 to 1848, both inclusive.

Year.	Number of Vessels Captured.	Number of Vessels Condemned.	Number of Slaves Captured.	Number of Slaves Died between Capture and Adjudication.	Annual per Centage of Mortality between Capture and Adjudication.
1840	79	76	3,192	292	9·14786
1841	78	66	4,519	311	6·88205
1842	58	53	3,177	344	10·82782
1843	44	38	3,612	590	16·33455
1844	52	46	3,472	480	13·82488
1845	95	84	4,443	473	10·64595
1846	47	45	2,200	199	9·04545
1847	81	80	6,706	694	10·34864
1848	91	90	6,712	558	8·31346
Totals....	625	578	38,033	3,941	95·37066

Return of the Mortality per Cent. amongst the Officers and Crews of Her Majesty's Ships employed on the Coast of Africa, in each Year from 1840 to 1848, both inclusive.

Years.	Number of Deaths.	Mortality per Cent.
1840.....	35	4.1
1841.....	85	7.9
1842.....	72	5.4
1843.....	27	2.1
1844.....	49	2.8
1845.....	128	5.
1846.....	98	3.3
1847.....	81	2.5
1848.....	63	2.2

Amount of Customs' Duty received on the Importation of Foreign Books, in each Year ending 5th January from 1841 to 1850, showing the Rates of Duty, and any Alterations that may have been made in the Duty.

Years ended 5th January	Amount of Duty received in the United Kingdom on Foreign Books.	Years ended 5th January	Amount of Duty received in the United Kingdom on Foreign Books.
	£		£
1841.....	8,493	1846.....	10,492
1842.....	8,451	1847.....	9,201
1843.....	7,878	1848.....	8,843
1844.....	9,011	1849.....	7,762
1845.....	9,481	1850.....	7,751

Statement of the Rates of Duty on Foreign Books, bound or unbound, during the above Years.

	£	s.	d.
Being of Editions printed prior to the year 1801	1	1	0 per cwt.
Being of Editions printed in or since the year 1801	5	5	0 „
In the Foreign living Languages, being of Editions printed in or since the year 1801	2	12	6 „
Printed in the English Language in the British Possessions	2	12	6 „

Books published in the Dominions of Prussia, Saxony, the Duchy of Brunswick, the States forming the Thuringian Union, Hanover and Oldenburg, have been admitted at the following Duties by Orders in Council, under the authority of Act 9 & 10 Vict. c. 58 (18th August, 1846) :—

	£	s.	d.
Works originally produced in the United Kingdom and re- published in the Country of Export	2	10	0 per cwt.
Works not originally produced in the United Kingdom.....	0	15	0 „

Abstract of the Number of Persons in the United Kingdom Licensed as Brewers, Victuallers, to sell Beer to be drunk on the Premises, and to sell Beer not to be drunk on the Premises; stating the Number of each Class who brew their own Beer, and the Quantity of Malt consumed by them, particularising each Class, from the 10th day of October, 1848, to the 10th day of October, 1849.

COLLECTIONS.	Number of				Number who brew their own Beer.			Bushels of Malt consumed by each Class.			
	Brewers.	Victuallers.	Persons Licensed to sell Beer.		Victuallers.	Persons Licensed to sell Beer.		Brewers.	Victuallers.	Persons Licensed to sell Beer.	
			To be drunk on the Premises	Not to be drunk on the Premises		To be drunk on the Premises	Not to be drunk on the Premises			To be drunk on the Premises	Not to be drunk on the Premises
England	2,257	59,335	84,800	3,270	25,985	12,201	972	17,688,334	6,960,423	2,697,757	330,200
Scotland	154	15,081	...	...	181	...	...	764,843	106,743	...	...
Ireland	96	14,080	...	...	...	...	...	1,204,875	...	...	...
United Kingdom ...	2,507	88,496	84,800	3,270	26,166	12,201	972	19,658,052	7,067,166	2,697,757	330,200

The Number of Barrels of Beer and Ale upon which drawback was paid in the United Kingdom, between the 10th of October, 1848, and the 10th October, 1849, was 136,144 Barrels.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATISTICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON.

Seventh Ordinary Meeting, 1849-50. Monday, 20th May, 1850.

Lieut.-Colonel W. H. Sykes, F.R.S., Vice-President,
in the Chair.

The following Gentlemen were elected Fellows:—

John Henry Murchison, Esq. | Archibald Hastie, Esq., M.P.
J. H. Sutton Southeron, Esq., M.P.

The adjourned discussion on Mr. Newmarch's Paper on Bills of Exchange was resumed.

Eighth Ordinary Meeting, 1849-50. Monday, 17th June, 1850.

Mr. Tooke, Vice-President,
in the Chair.

The following Gentlemen were elected Fellows:—

George Forbes, Esq. | Robert Warner, Esq.

The following Gentlemen were elected Foreign Honorary Members:—

M. Michel Chevalier | M. D. L. Rodet
M. Joseph Garnier | M. Leon Fauchet

The following Paper was read:—

The Progress of the Foreign Commerce of France, from 1830 to 1848.
By J. T. Danson, Esq.

**THE MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS,
REGISTERED IN THE DIVISIONS, COUNTIES, AND DISTRICTS OF ENGLAND,**

AS PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

THE following Return comprises the Births and Deaths which were registered in all the districts of England by 2,189 Registrars, in the winter quarter ending March 31st, 1850; and the Marriages in above 12,000 chapels and churches, 2,869 registered places of worship unconnected with the Established Church, and 623 Superintendent Registrars' Offices, in the quarter ending December 31st, 1849.

The Return of marriages is incomplete; but the numbers wanting are inconsiderable, and have been supplied from the previous years. Returns of the births and deaths have been received from every Registrar.

While the returns of the exports, imports, and revenue furnish good indications of the production, consumption, and commerce of great classes in the country,—the marriages, births, and deaths supply a surer test of the condition of the whole population. It is gratifying to find that the general results of both classes of returns are favourable. The marriages, which in 1847 were so much depressed, and increased almost imperceptibly in 1848, rose to 141,599 in the year 1849; and in the autumn quarter were 43,362, which is a higher number than has ever before been celebrated, excepting in the autumn quarter of 1845. The deaths have also declined; they were 98,607. The country, which, after the failure of the potato crop in 1846, was covered with funerals—in the train of a multitude of diseases and of two great epidemics, the fatal influenza of 1847-8, and the more deadly cholera of 1849—is now in health again. The deaths in the first quarter of 1850 were less by 21,065 and 21,414 than the deaths in the corresponding quarters of 1847 and 1848.

The improvement in the state of the public health may be ascribed to various causes. January and March were cold, as they usually are in England; February warm; the three months were dry and bracing. The great epidemics subsided in 1849. Their force was perhaps expended. It is usual to say that they carry away the weak; but to this it should be added, that their attacks leave much weakness behind them. Then although, as hitherto has always been the case, much more has been said than done in the way of sanatory improvement, undoubtedly many houses, streets, and cities have been purified. Some flagrant nuisances have been suppressed, and have not had time to reaccumulate.

Food too has been abundant. The high prices of provisions in 1847, when wheat was on an average 70s. a quarter in England, and potatoes still dearer, induced agriculturists everywhere to extend the breadth of land under culture in 1848, which, as the crops were scanty, did not then produce an amount of subsistence sufficient for the population. The agricultural returns, which by the command of the Lord-Lieutenant have been so ably digested by Captain Larcom, show how much this culture was extended in Ireland; 872,038 acres of land were under wheat and potatoes in 1847, and 1,308,645 acres were under the same cultivation in 1848; while the produce, which was 2,385,308 tons in 1847, was 3,269,689 tons in 1848, without supplying the ordinary wants of the people*.

No attempt has been made to procure returns of the breadth of land or the produce in England; and the Irish returns of 1849 have not yet been made up; but there can be little doubt that all over Europe the breadth of land under potatoes,

* The counties of Tipperary and Waterford made no returns in 1848; their returns for 1847 have been deducted from the gross returns of Ireland, 1847.—See returns of Agricultural Produce in Ireland, 1847-1848, presented to Parliament by Command of Her Majesty.

wheat, and the other cereals, in that year, was sufficient to yield, on average crops, enough food to supply the markets. The crops were generally above the average; the potato did not fail; and the supply of wheat was consequently superabundant, so that prices fell lower than they have been since 1835. The general advantages of abundance is unequivocal; but whether the part of the population which is engaged in producing food for sale, procure as much money for the good crops of 1849 as they procured the scanty bad food with which the markets of many counties were supplied in 1848, or for average crops, is uncertain, and must always remain uncertain, until a comprehensive system of agricultural statistics is organized. No one can imagine, however, for a moment because wheat was at 51s. a quarter in 1848, and 44s. a quarter in 1849, that the value of the produce was in that ratio; for if 10 million quarters of wheat at 51s. are worth 25½ million pounds, evidently 11,590,000 quarters at 44s. will be worth the same sum. This relation must hold if prices are in the inverse ratio of the quantities in the market; and if the price varies more than the quantity, it is nevertheless clear that the value of the produce will vary within a narrower limit than the price. The returns from the agricultural districts exhibit an improved state in the health of the great body of the inhabitants; and there is nothing in the facts, which can justify us in refusing to ascribe apart of the improvement to the comparatively abundant supply of the necessities of life.

The annual rate of mortality in the first quarters of the 11 years 1840-50 was 2·754 per cent., in 117 districts, comprising the chief towns; and 2·222 per cent. in the districts of the small towns and country parishes; in 1850, the mortality in the first class of districts fell to 2·401 per cent., and in the second class of districts, to 2·067 per cent. In the most favourable winter quarter which has been experienced since 1846, the mortality of the inhabitants of towns exceeds the mortality of the rest of the country by 16 per cent.

The 144,602 births exceeded the 98,607 deaths in the quarter by 45,995; and from a return with which the Registrar General has been favoured by the Emigration Commissioners, it appears that 46,423 emigrants left the ports of the United Kingdom, at which there are Government Emigration Offices. Of these, 40,927 left English ports; but it is probable that great numbers were of Irish extraction.

Marriages Registered in the Quarters ending December 31st, 1845-49; Births and Deaths Registered in the Quarters ending March 31st, 1846-50, in the Divisions, Counties, and Districts of England.

Population.		Marriages.		Births.		Deaths.	
		Registered in the Quarter ending the last Day of					
		Dec.,		Mar.,		Mar.,	
		1845....	43,889	1846....	145,108	1846....	89,484
1831.....	13,896,797	1846....	42,066	1847....	146,453	1847....	119,672
		1847....	40,729	1848....	139,736	1848....	120,021
1841.....	15,914,148	1848....	42,113	1849....	153,705	1849....	106,066
Military	29,846	1849....	43,632	1850....	144,602	1850....	98,607

MORTALITY OF THE METROPOLIS.

A Table of the Mortality in the Metropolis, showing the Number of Deaths from all Causes, in the Quarters ending March of the Four Years, 1847-48-49-50.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Quarters ending March.*				CAUSES OF DEATH.	Quarters ending March.*			
	1847.	1848.	1849.	1850.		1847.	1848.	1849.	1850.
ALL CAUSES.....	15,289	16,455	15,438	13,219	III. Scrofula.....	53	89	74	72
SPECIFIED CAUSES.....	15,245	16,366	15,331	13,136	Tabes Mesenterica..	192	233	198	158
I. Zymotic Diseases.....	1,964	4,203	4,120	2,126	Phthisis or Consumption.....	1,823	1,873	1,630	1,626
SPORADIC DISEASES.					Hydrocephalus.....	410	390	380	370
II. Dropsy, Cancer, and other Diseases of uncertain or variable Seat.....	642	576	643	606	IV. Cephalitis.....	156	138	145	135
III. Tubercular Diseases.	2,508	2,555	2,282	2,226	Apoplexy.....	368	364	314	376
IV. Diseases of the Brain, Spinal Marrow, Nerves, and Senses.....	1,856	1,786	1,687	1,638	Paralysis.....	342	326	326	366
V. Diseases of the Heart and Blood Vessels.....	666	476	523	544	Delirium Tremens.....	47	39	41	21
VI. Diseases of the Lungs and of the other Organs of Respiration.....	4,056	3,357	2,986	2,802	Chorea.....	2	2	1	7
VII. Diseases of the Stomach, Liver, and other Organs of Digestion.....	815	856	792	763	Epilepsy.....	113	91	94	75
VIII. Diseases of the Kidneys, &c.....	169	181	164	165	Tetanus.....	2	1	5	4
IX. Childbirth, Diseases of the Uterus, &c.....	205	129	123	122	Insanity.....	28	31	22	19
X. Rheumatism, Diseases of the Bones, Joints, &c.....	141	83	121	101	Convulsions.....	619	634	561	482
XI. Diseases of the Skin, Cellular Tissue, &c.....	26	22	15	24	Disease of Brain, &c.....	179	160	178	153
XII. Malformations.....	49	57	48	43	Pericarditis.....	29	36	31	32
XIII. Premature Birth & Debility.....	337	301	301	320	Aneurism.....	14	15	20	24
XIV. Atrophy.....	239	339	282	277	Disease of Heart.....	623	425	472	488
XV. Age.....	971	744	662	690	Laryngitis.....	62	46	69	54
XVI. Sudden†.....	173	184	167	234	Bronchitis.....	1,661	1,242	1,271	1,284
XVII. Violence, Privation, Cold, and Intemperance.....	428	487	415	455	Pleurisy.....	67	52	49	41
					Pneumonia.....	1,390	1,416	1,202	1,011
I. Small Pox.....	82	388	228	95	Asthma.....	625	317	270	300
Measles.....	99	465	173	303	Disease of Lungs, &c.....	251	174	125	112
Scarlatina.....	196	615	776	199	Teething.....	143	134	150	139
Whooping Cough.....	544	374	905	442	Quinsey.....	17	35	26	17
Croup.....	67	90	77	79	Gastritis.....	23	31	20	28
Thrush.....	38	40	33	25	Enteritis.....	102	123	101	88
Diarrhoea.....	178	244	284	207	Peritonitis.....	61	74	62	57
Dysentery.....	34	44	42	43	Ascites.....	26	34	19	30
Cholera.....	3	9	516	8	Ulceration (of Intestines, &c.).....	34	38	26	23
Influenza.....	63	578	53	38	Hernia.....	54	33	39	37
Purpura and Scurvy.....	16	23	16	8	Ileus.....	31	35	23	30
Ague.....	4	7	6	3	Intussusception.....	9	8	16	13
Remittent Fever.....	2	19	19	20	Stricture of the Intestine Canal.....	7	6	8	14
Infantile Fever.....	19	18	4	11	Dis. of Stomach, &c.....	79	95	79	76
Typhus.....	442	922	699	404	Disease of Pancreas.....	1	..	..	..
Metria, or Puerperal Fever, see Childbirth.....	..	109	112	60	Hepatitis.....	44	52	49	44
Rheumatic Fever, see Rheumatism.....	..	19	8	21	Jaundice.....	31	31	44	30
Erysipelas.....	116	196	137	119	Disease of Liver.....	149	123	129	134
Syphilis.....	34	34	22	32	Disease of Spleen.....	1	3	1	3
Noma or Canker, see Mortification.....	3	8	6	8	Nephritis.....	5	7	7	6
Hydrophobia.....	..	1	..	1	Nephria (or Bright's Disease).....	..	41	25	34
II. Hæmorrhage.....	58	35	53	55	Ischuria.....	3	1	2	2
Dropsy.....	299	198	248	214	Diabetes.....	9	15	10	10
Abscess.....	18	31	27	30	Stone.....	12	8	10	12
Ulcer.....	19	16	12	12	Cystitis.....	8	11	8	7
Fistula.....	1	6	4	3	Stricture of Urethra.....	16	13	9	13
Mortification.....	57	58	60	59	Dis. of Kidneys, &c.....	116	85	93	81
Cancer.....	180	222	231	213	Paramenia.....	2	4	5	4
Gout.....	20	10	8	20	Ovarian Dropsy.....	15	16	16	16
					Childbirth, see Metria.....	146	67	64	66
					Dis. of Uterus, &c.....	42	42	38	36
					Arthritis.....	1	1	1	3
					Rheumatism.....	73	40	66	60
					Disease of Joints, &c.....	67	42	54	39
					Carbuncle.....	4	4	1	2
					Phlegmon.....	9	5	3	7
					Disease of Skin, &c.....	13	13	11	15
					Intemperance.....	12	17	21	18
					Privation.....	22	18	13	8
					Want of Breast Milk, see Privation & Atrophy.....	..	45	28	40
					Neglect.....	..	2	..	2
					Cold, see Privation.....	..	4	4	1
					Poison.....	..	29	15	20
					Burns and Scalds.....	..	77	76	106
					Hanging, &c.....	..	56	86	45
					Drowning.....	394	53	66	48
					Fractures and Contusions.....	..	139	114	139
					Wounds.....	..	33	26	19
					Other Violence.....	..	14	16	9
					Causes not specified.....	44	89	107	83

* The mortality of the district of Lewisham and Hampstead, was included in the Metropolitan returns at the commencement of 1847, for the first time. Therefore the deaths for the previous year are not contained in the above table. In the quarter ending March, 1846, they were 142.

† Under the head of "sudden deaths" are classed not only deaths described as sudden, of which the cause has not been ascertained or stated; but also all deaths returned by the Coroner in vague terms, such as "found dead," "natural causes," &c., &c.

‡ In the years previous to 1848, "Worms" and "Infantile Fever" were classed together. The former, of very rare occurrence, is now placed to diseases of stomach, &c.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS IN LONDON.

Number of Inmates in Hospitals, Prisons, Lunatic Asylums, &c., and in the Workhouses of the following Unions or Parishes, on the 31st December, 1849, and 31st of March, 1850, with the Deaths registered in the Quarter ending March 31st, 1850; Annual Rate of Mortality per Cent.

WORKHOUSES, &c.	No. of Inmates, Dec. 31, 1849.	No. of Inmates, Mar. 31, 1850.	Deaths in the Quarter ending Mar. 31, 1850.	Annual Rate of Mortality in 100.
Paddington (St. Mary)	194	14	29	
Kensington (Town)	300	17	23	
Hammermith (St. Paul)	154	..	26	
Fulham Fulham	189	7	17	
Chelsea (North West)	446	28	25	
St. George Hanover Sq. (Chelsea N.W.) ..	408	22	22	
St. George Hanover Square (May Fair) ..	373	19	20	
Westminster (St. Margaret)	400	33	22	
St. Martin-in-the-Fields (Charing Cross)	656	15	9	
St. James Westminster (Golden Square)	639	20	13	
Marylebone (Rectory)	1,777	145	38	
Strand (Tottenham Court)	565	44	31	
Pancras (Camden Town)	1,304	84	26	
Islington (West)	354	28	32	
Hackney (Hackney)	401	8	8	
St. Giles (South)	778	70	36	
Holborn (St. Andrew East)	717	41	23	
Clerkenwell (St. James)	435	18	23	
Bishopsgate (St. Botolph) Females	290	23	32	
Aldersgate (West London North) Males ..	187	15	32	
West London (North)	453	36	32	
Shoreditch (Haggerston West)	792	68	34	
St. Luke (Hoxton New Town)	329	11	18	
Bethnal Green (The Green)	788	37	19	
Whitechapel (Mile End New Town)	380	5	5	
Whitechapel (North)	596	76	51	
St. George-in-the-East (St. John)	676	40	24	
Stepney (Shavel and Wapping)	329	11	18	
Stepney (Batcliffe)	259	20	31	
Stepney (Mile End Old Town Lower)	243	23	38	
Stepney (Limehouse)	381	2	2	
London City (Bow)	826	35	17	
Poplar (Poplar)	827	35	23	
St. Saviour (Christchurch)	449	19	17	
St. Olave (St. John Horselydown)	356	17	19	
Bermondsey (St. Mary Magdalen)	600	18	12	
St. George Southwark (Borough Road) ..	399	30	30	
Newington (St. Peter Walworth)	345	49	57	
Lambeth (Lambeth Church 2nd)	1,055	61	23	
Drouet's House for Children (Brixton) ..	174	..	..
Lambeth (Norwood)	474	2	2	
Wandsworth (Battersea)	436	16	15	
Camberwell (Camberwell)	386	11	13	
Rotherhithe (Rotherhithe)	233	14	24	
Greenwich (East)	1,065	36	14	
Lewisham (Village)	239	13	22	
St. George Southwark, for Children } (Lewisham Village)	146	..	..
47. Total	23,972	1,370	23	
HOSPITALS.				
MILITARY AND NAVAL ASYLUMS.				
Royal Hos. Greenwich (East) Pensioners ..	2,663	2,626	82	12
Royal Hos. Chelsea (South) Pensioners ..	512	511	34	27
Royal Military Asylum Chelsea (South) ..	419	426	3	3
3. Total	3,594	3,563	119	13
GENERAL HOSPITALS.				
St. George (Belgrave)	285	308	63	85
Westminster (St. Margaret)	149	157	35	92
Charing Cross (Charing Cross)	112	79	15	63
Middlesex (All Souls)	228	361	47	64
University College (Tottenham Court) ..	111	113	22	79
Royal Free (Gray's Inn Lane)	46	52	6	49
King's College (St. Clement Dances) ..	96	96	38	158
St. Bartholomew (West London North) ..	513	492	104	83
London (Whitechapel Church)	321	358	91	110
Guy's (St. Olave and St. Saviour)	497	484	96	78
St. Thomas (St. Olave and St. Saviour) ..	417	439	66	62
11. Total	2,775	2,919	583	82
HOSPITALS FOR SPECIAL DISEASES.				
Small Pox (Camden Town)	11	18	11	304
Fever (Islington)	18	27	17	302
Lock (Paddington)	53	55	..	..
Consumption (Brompton)	76	80	16	82
4. Total	158	180	44	104
LYING-IN HOSPITALS.				
Queen Charlotte's (St. Mary, Marylebone) ..	..	..	7	..
British (South St. Giles) do. do. ..	7	5	3	200
City of London (City Road) do. do. ..	26	31	13	182
York Road, Lambeth } do. do. ..	20	12	1	25
(Waterloo 2nd part) ..	..	..	..	..
4. Total	53	48	17	135
HOSPITALS AND NAVAL HOSPITALS.				
Grenadier Gds. (St. John Westminster) ..	84	88	10	47
Coldstream Guards (ditto)	83	55	6	55
Scots Fusilier Guards (ditto)	61	65	3	19
Royal Ordnance (Woolwich Arsenal)	305	334	8	10
Dreadnought Ship (for Seamen, Greenwich West)	181	138	38	97
5. Total	664	675	65	30
LUNATIC ASYLUMS, &c.				
Kensington House (Town District)	69	..	3	17
Earl's Court House (Brompton) Females ..	29	..	..	..
Munster House (Fulham) Males	32	..	1	13
Otto House (Fulham) Females	24	..	..	..
Sussex and Brandenburg Ho. (Fulham) ..	31	..	1	13
Blacklands Ho. (Chelsea N. E.) Males	38	..	..	..
Northumberland Ho. (Stoke Newington) ..	60	..	1	7
Whitmore House (West Hackney)	31	..	1	13
Pembroke House (South Hackney)	109	..	3	11
Brooke House (Upper Clapton)	201	..	..	..
St. Luke's (City Road)	201	..	..	..
Miles' (St. Leonard Shoreditch) Hoxton H. ..	389	..	9	9
Warburton's (Bethnal Green) Bethnal Ho. ..	506	..	13	10
Grove Hall (Bow)	396	..	22	22
Bethel Road, Southwark	397	..	7	7
Effra Hall (Brixton) Females	37	..	1	19
York House (Battersea) Females	21	..	1	19
Surrey County (Wandsworth)	662	..	32	19
Peckham House (Camberwell)	495	..	19	16
Camberwell House (Camberwell)	305	..	14	18
20. Total	3,849	..	129	13
HOSPITALS AND ASYLUMS FOR FOREIGNERS.				
German Hospital (Hackney)	32	37	6	70
French Hospital (City Road)	54	54	3	28
Spanish and Portuguese Jews (Mile End Old Town Lower)	29	30	2	27
German Jews (Mile End Old Town Lower) ..	95	100	1	4
4. Total	210	221	12	22
PRISONS.				
Tothill Fields House of Correction (St. Margaret Westminster)	645	733	2	1
Millbank Penitentiary (St. John Westminster)	1,093	1,223	11	4
Pentonville Prison (West Islington)	446	498	..	..
New Prison, Middlesex House of Detention (St. James, Clerkenwell) ..	108	125	..	..
Middlesex House of Correction (Amwell, Clerkenwell)	1,019	995	7	3
Debtors' Prison (Whitecross Street, Cripplegate)	204	228	..	..
Newgate (West London North)	163	186	..	..
Giltspur Street Prison and House of Correction (West London North)	302	274	1	1
Bridewell (West London South)	99	91	..	..
Queen's Bench (Borough Road)	177	196	..	..
Surrey County (Horsemonger Lane, Trinity, Newington)	192	151	..	..
Convict Hulks (Warrior, Justitia)	845	806	..	..
United Convict Hospital Ship (Woolwich Arsenal)	35	46	3	30
The above Convict Hulks and Hos. Ships ..	880	852	3	1
14. Total	5,318	5,551	24	2
	Population.	Deaths in the Quarter ending Mar. 31, 1850.	Annual Rate of Mortality per Cent.	
LONDON	2,226,362	15,219	3.38	
London, exclusive of 108 Institutions ..	2,185,579	10,586	1.99	
108 Public Institutions, mean of } the two periods	40,783	2,363	23	
47 Workhouses .....	..	23,972	1,370	23
3 Military and Naval Asylums	3,594	3,563	119	13
11 General Hospitals	2,775	2,919	583	82
4 Hospitals for Special Diseases	158	180	44	104
4 Lying-in Hospitals	53	48	17	135
4 Military and Naval Hospitals	664	675	65	30
90 Lunatic Asylums	3,849	..	129	13
4 Hosps. & Asylums for Foreigners	210	221	12	22
14 Prisons	5,318	5,551	24	2

NOTE.—In the Royal Military Asylum, Chelsea, 385 boys, from 5 to 15 years of age, belong to the Model School of the Institution. In Greenwich Hospital, the number of boys in the school was 782, on the 31st March, 1850, which number are not included in the Royal Hospital return of pensioners. The number of women and infants in the Queen Charlotte's Lying-in-Hospital are not authentically given, as no dist-book is at present kept.

METEOROLOGICAL TABLE for the Quarter ending March 31, 1880.

NAMES OF THE PLACES.	Mean Pressure of Dry Air reduced to the level of the Sea.	Mean Temperature of the Air.	Highest Reading of the Thermometer.	Lowest Reading of the Thermometer.	Mean Daily Range of Temperature.	Mean Monthly Range of Temperature.	Range of Tempera- ture in the Quarter.	Mean Temperature of the Dew Point.	WIND.		Mean Amount of Cloud.	RAIN.		Mean additional weight required to saturate a cubic Foot of Air.	Mean Degree of Hu- midity.	Mean whole Amount of Water in a Ver- tical Column of Atmosphere.	Mean Weight of a Cubic Foot of Air.	Height of Barometer above the level of the Sea.
									Strength.	General Direction.		Number of Days on which it fell.	Amount col- lected.					
Guernsey.....	29.885	43.0	54.0	28.0	9.9	19.3	26.0	29.7	1.7	E. & W.	6.2	41	6.6	0.4	0.890	3.6	Gr.	Feet.
Heligoland.....	29.871	43.6	56.0	25.0	9.9	24.7	31.0	40.6	1.6	N.E.	7.1	41	6.8	0.4	0.894	3.7	Gr.	123
Falmouth.....	29.870	44.5	60.0	23.0	10.3	29.0	37.0	39.2	1.5	N.E. & W.	7.1	41	7.7	0.5	0.886	3.5	Gr.	548
Tunno.....	29.947	43.3	58.0	18.0	12.1	33.6	40.0	38.0	1.9	N.E. & S.W.	6.8	38	6.9	0.5	0.886	3.5	Gr.	106
Exeter.....	29.947	41.5	60.7	20.1	13.7	33.6	40.6	38.0	1.9	N.E. & W.	4.9	32	4.1	0.5	0.874	3.5	Gr.	30
Chichester.....	29.853	37.9	53.0	21.0	9.0	28.7	32.0	33.8	..	N.E. & S.W.	..	26	4.4	0.4	0.889	3.0	Gr.	140
Uckfield.....	29.886	40.1	60.0	18.0	13.0	35.3	40.0	33.8	..	N.E. & S.W.	..	26	4.4	0.4	0.889	3.0	Gr.	180
Southampton.....	29.886	40.1	60.0	18.0	8.1	32.5	50.0	35.5	0.4	N.E. & S.W.	6.4	22	4.2	0.5	0.876	2.9	Gr.	555
Royal Observatory Greenwich.....	29.882	39.4	58.0	20.0	12.3	32.4	38.0	33.8	..	N.E. & S.W.	7.3	25	2.8	0.5	0.882	3.0	Gr.	551
Woolwich.....	29.904	39.2	57.6	21.5	9.8	30.3	36.1	35.5	1.4	N.E. & S.W.	7.0	26	2.8	0.4	0.877	3.1	Gr.	107
St. John's Wood.....	29.885	39.6	60.0	20.0	13.0	33.3	40.0	34.3	1.4	..	7.3	26	2.8	0.6	0.880	3.0	Gr.	150
Chiswell Street, London.....	29.874	41.6	57.5	25.1	8.4	24.8	32.5	37.0	1.6	N. & S.W.	6.9	28	2.5	0.6	0.880	3.0	Gr.	549
Lattimer Rectory.....	29.873	37.4	56.0	10.0	14.4	35.7	46.0	32.0	1.6	N. & S.W.	6.9	28	2.5	0.6	0.880	3.0	Gr.	549
Aylesbury.....	29.873	39.3	62.0	19.0	15.3	34.7	43.0	34.6	0.7	N.W.	7.4	29	3.1	0.4	0.880	3.1	Gr.	548
Stone Observatory.....	29.859	37.6	55.0	16.9	12.9	33.6	38.1	32.9	1.1	N. & S.W.	6.7	26	2.4	0.4	0.845	2.9	Gr.	284
Harwell Rectory.....	29.849	38.7	59.0	19.0	13.9	35.0	40.0	34.3	1.4	N. & S.W.	7.6	29	2.8	0.4	0.867	3.0	Gr.	550
Harwell Rectory.....	29.869	38.0	56.2	20.0	12.5	31.5	36.2	33.3	1.0	N.W. & S.W.	6.3	28	..	0.4	0.853	2.9	Gr.	290
Sutton Walden.....	29.865	38.0	57.0	18.0	12.4	32.7	39.0	32.4	2.4	N.W.	5.6	26	2.4	0.2	0.940	3.4	Gr.	551
Oxford.....	29.865	38.7	56.5	16.7	11.5	34.1	39.8	37.3	2.1	N.E. & S.W.	7.7	20	2.4	0.2	0.940	3.4	Gr.	210
Rose Hill, Oxford.....	29.878	38.5	55.6	17.0	12.7	38.6	31.9	36.4	1.6	N. & S.W.	7.3	17	3.0	0.3	0.921	3.3	Gr.	550
Cardington (near Bedford).....	29.843	38.3	57.0	19.4	12.0	31.5	37.6	34.5	1.6	N. & S.W.	7.1	20	1.9	0.4	0.865	3.0	Gr.	553
Norwich.....	29.853	38.5	56.0	14.0	10.2	31.0	42.0	33.8	1.2	N. & S.W.	7.1	32	4.5	0.5	0.815	2.9	Gr.	553
Wokingham.....	29.824	37.7	56.7	16.0	10.9	32.6	40.0	33.7	1.2	Var.	7.1	37	3.9	0.5	0.865	2.9	Gr.	555
Highfield House, Notts.....	29.774	38.4	61.2	17.5	14.2	34.2	43.7	34.9	1.1	Var.	6.5	25	3.2	0.4	0.879	3.0	Gr.	103
Derby.....	29.818	38.4	57.0	17.0	14.2	31.7	40.0	35.4	1.1	N.W. & S.W.	6.5	32	3.4	0.4	0.874	3.1	Gr.	551
Manchester.....	29.842	39.7	57.6	17.5	11.0	32.0	40.1	35.0	..	N.W. & S.W.	7.5	..	..	0.5	0.892	3.1	Gr.	551
Rawdon.....	29.834	40.7	55.1	24.4	6.9	24.3	30.7	33.7	1.0	N.W. & N.E.	7.5	16	3.2	0.4	0.866	3.1	Gr.	545
Liverpool Observatory.....	29.834	39.0	62.0	15.5	12.1	32.8	46.5	35.7	1.4	Var.	7.5	39	3.1	0.4	0.755	2.8	Gr.	37
Warrington.....	29.796	38.2	59.0	20.0	10.5	29.7	37.0	35.8	1.8	N.W.	7.5	39	3.6	0.4	0.862	3.1	Gr.	553
Leeds.....	29.796	38.2	59.0	20.0	11.2	30.0	37.0	35.8	1.8	N.W.	7.4	38	3.9	0.3	0.906	3.2	Gr.	551
Stonyhurst Observatory.....	29.806	37.6	60.0	20.0	10.8	30.0	40.0	34.6	1.3	N.E. & S.W.	7.5	47	11.8	0.3	0.887	3.0	Gr.	548
York.....	29.806	37.6	60.0	20.0	10.8	30.0	40.0	34.6	1.3	N.E. & S.W.	7.5	47	11.8	0.3	0.887	3.0	Gr.	548
Whitehaven.....	29.754	38.8	52.5	21.5	7.1	24.7	31.0	35.9	2.2	N.W.	..	23	2.6	0.2	0.923	3.2	Gr.	50
Durham.....	29.760	38.2	57.4	18.0	9.3	30.7	39.4	35.0	1.3	N.W. & S.W.	5.6	34	3.6	0.4	0.865	3.0	Gr.	546
Newcastle.....	29.742	37.6	55.0	21.0	10.8	29.2	34.0	35.5	..	N.W.	..	33	5.6	0.5	0.829	3.1	Gr.	550
Glasgow.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

The mean of the numbers in the first column is 29.847 inches, and it represents that portion of the reading of the barometer due to the pressure of air; the remaining portion, or that due to the pressure of water, is 0.224 inch; the sum of those two numbers is 30.071 inches, and it represents the mean reading of the barometer, for the quarter, at the level of the sea.

REVENUE.

Abstract of the Net Produce of the Revenue of Great Britain in the Years and Quarters ending 5th July, 1849 and 1850; showing the Increase or Decrease thereof.—(Continued from page 189.)

Sources of Revenue.	Years ending 5th July.			
	1849.	1850.	Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£
Customs.....	18,810,774	18,740,194	....	70,580
Excise	12,196,913	13,097,336	900,423	....
Stamps	6,103,408	6,325,499	222,091	....
Taxes	4,339,500	4,351,530	12,030	....
Property Tax	5,362,083	5,459,843	97,760	....
Post Office.....	849,000	817,000	....	32,000
Crown Lands.....	130,000	160,000	30,000	....
Miscellaneous	204,564	209,744	5,180	....
Total Ordinary Revenue	47,996,242	49,161,146	1,267,484	102,580
China Money	84,284	....	....	84,284
Imprest and other Moneys .	606,568	682,807	76,239	....
Repayments of Advances....	511,789	570,797	59,008	....
Total Income.....	49,198,883	50,414,750	1,402,731	186,864
Deduct Decrease			186,864	
Increase on the Year			1,215,867	

Sources of Revenue.	Quarters ending 5th July.			
	1849.	1850.	Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£
Customs	4,128,777	40,333,708	204,931	....
Excise	3,020,602	3,325,225	304,623	....
Stamps	1,619,697	1,590,767	....	28,930
Taxes	2,054,730	2,073,281	18,551	....
Property Tax.....	1,033,240	1,026,835	....	6,405
Post Office.....	196,000	210,000	14,000	....
Crown Lands.....	40,000	40,000	....	....
Miscellaneous	70,140	84,474	11,334	....
Total Ordinary Revenue	12,163,186	12,681,290	553,439	35,335
China Money .....	....	....	....	....
Imprest and other Moneys	109,875	135,827	25,952	....
Repayments of Advances	170,841	188,289	17,448	....
Total Income.....	12,443,902	13,005,406	596,839	35,335
Deduct Decrease			35,335	
Increase on the Quarter			561,504	

Consolidated Fund Operations.—The total income brought to this account in the quarter ending 5th July, 1850, was 13,014,950*l.* The total charge upon it was 7,754,012*l.*, leaving a surplus of 5,260,938*l.* The amount of Exchequer Bills issued to meet the charge on the Consolidated Fund for the quarter ending 5th April, 1850, and paid off out of the growing produce of that fund for the quarter ending 5th July, 1850, was 126,343*l.*

The surplus of the Consolidated Fund for the quarter ended 5th July, 1850, was 747,994*l.*

The surplus of Revenue, after providing for the charges on the Consolidated Fund, and the payment of Supply Services in the quarter ending 5th July, 1850, was 621,651*l.*

CORN.

Average Prices of Corn per Imperial Quarter in England and Wales, during each Week of the Second Quarter of 1850; together with the Average Prices for the whole Quarter.—(Continued from p. 190.)

Returns received at the Corn Office.		Wheat.		Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Beans.	Peas.
		Weekly Average	Aggregate Average of Six Weeks' regulating Duty.	Weekly Average	Weekly Average	Weekly Average	Weekly Average	Weekly Average
Weeks ending, 1850.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
April	6	38 1	38 1	23 2	14 10	21 6	23 8	24 5
	13	38 5	38 1	22 11	15 2	20 8	23 9	26 3
	20	37 10	38 0	22 8	15 3	21 6	23 9	24 9
	27	37 1	37 10	22 1	15 0	21 8	23 8	25 1
May	4	36 11	37 8	22 0	14 7	19 11	23 11	24 9
	11	38 0	37 9	22 0	15 3	19 1	24 8	24 9
	18	39 7	38 0	22 5	15 5	21 7	25 6	24 11
	25	40 7	38 4	22 10	16 3	22 4	26 4	25 6
June	1	40 2	38 9	23 0	15 11	22 0	26 11	26 2
	8	39 8	39 2	22 4	16 7	23 7	27 0	26 8
	15	39 11	39 8	21 9	16 11	22 8	26 10	27 3
	22	40 5	40 0	22 8	16 10	22 6	26 7	26 9
	29	40 9	40 3	21 6	16 5	21 6	26 11	26 11
Average for the Quarter		39 0	..	22 5	15 8	21 7	25 4	25 8

Foreign and Colonial Wheat and Wheat-Flour imported in each of the Months ending 5th April, 5th May, and 5th June, 1850; the Quantities Entered for Home Consumption during the same Months; and the Quantities remaining in Warehouse at the close of them.—(Continued from p. 190.)

WHEAT.

Months ending.	Imported.			Quantities entered for Home Consumption.			In Bond at the Month's end.		
	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.
1850.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.	qrs.
5th April	197,188	..	197,188	202,480	..	202,480	19,970	170	20,140
5th May	365,087	364	365,451	367,225	488	367,713	17,832	47	17,879
5th June	334,059	2,403	336,462	334,745	2,403	337,148	17,147	46	17,193

WHEAT-FLOUR.

Months ending.	Imported.			Quantities entered for Home Consumption.			In Bond at the Month's end.		
	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.
1850.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.
5th April	286,482	12	206,494	207,007	12	207,019	11,678	2	11,680
5th May	108,228	24	108,252	108,228	24	108,252	17,832	47	17,879
5th June	145,386	1,216	146,602	145,386	1,216	146,602	9,840	3	9,843

Fluctuations in the Stock and Share Markets during the Months of April, May, and June, 1850.

Stocks and Shares.	Amount of Share.			Amount Paid.			Price on the 1st of			Highest Price during the Months of			Lowest Price during the Months of		
	April.			April.			April.			April.			April.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Consols	30	0	0	30	0	0	96½	68s.	70s. 6m	96½	71s. 6m	71s. 6m	96½	64s. 6m	64s. 6m
Exchequer Bills .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
RAILWAYS—															
Brighton	50	0	0	50	0	0	80	78½	88½	80½	9	84	75½	78½	81½
Calcutta	50	0	0	50	0	0	87½	7½	10½	9	9½	10½	6½	7½	7½
Eastern Counties	30	0	0	30	0	0	7½	7½	7½	7½	7½	7½	5	7½	7½
Great Northern	25	0	0	25	0	0	7½	7½	10½	55½	10	60	46	50½	57
Great Western	100	0	0	100	0	0	55	51	59	55½	58½	60	46	50½	57
London and North-Western	100	0	0	100	0	0	105	101½	107	105½	106½	110½	98½	101	106
Midland	100	0	0	100	0	0	384	32	37½	38½	37	38	30½	31½	36
North Staffordshire	30	0	0	30	0	0	7½	7½	8	7½	7½	8½	6½	7	6½
South-Eastern	33	2	4	33	2	4	14½	13½	15	14½	14½	15½	13	13	14½
South-Western	30	0	0	30	0	0	61½	58½	64½	62	63½	65	55½	58	57
York, Newcastle, & Berwick	30	0	0	30	0	0	13	11½	14½	13½	14½	15½	10½	11½	14½
York and North Midland	50	0	0	50	0	0	16½	14½	17½	16½	17½	17½	13½	14½	16
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Boulogne and Amiens	30	0	0	30	0	0	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	5½	5½	6½
Northern of France	30	0	0	30	0	0	12½	12½	13½	12½	13½	14	11½	11½	13½
East Indian	30	0	0	30	0	0	5½	7½	7½	5½	7½	7½	5½	7½	7½

Average Price of Meat as sold in Smithfield Market in the Months of April, May, and June, 1850.—(Continued from p. 191.)

Description.	April.			May.			June.			Description.	April.			May.			June.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Inferior Beasts	3	6	3	3	6	3	3	6	3	Inferior Sheep	3	11	3	3	9	3	3
2nd class	3	9	3	3	9	3	3	9	3	2nd class	3	4	3	3	5	3	3
3rd class (large Prime)	3	1	3	3	1	3	3	5	3	3rd do. (large coarse wool) ..	3	10	3	3	5	3	3
4th class (Scots)	3	6	3	3	6	3	3	9	3	4th do. (South Down) ..	4	3	3	3	9	3	3
										Lamb	5	2	4	10	4	4	9

N.B.—Price of Meat at the rate of 8 lbs. Avordupois to the stone, sinking the offal.

CURRENCY.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

An Account, pursuant to the Act of the 7th and 8th Victoria, c. 32, for the Weeks ending on Saturday, the 13th April, the 4th May, the 25th May, and the 8th June, 1850.—(Continued from p. 192.)

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	Weeks ending,			
	13th April, 1850.	4th May, 1850.	25th May, 1850.	8th June, 1850.
	£	£	£	£
Notes issued	30,044,650	29,924,295	29,927,240	30,086,420
Government Debt	11,015,100	11,015,100	11,015,100	11,015,100
Other Securities	2,984,900	2,984,900	2,984,900	2,984,900
Gold Coin and Bullion..	15,800,773	15,714,418	15,717,363	15,876,543
Silver Bullion	243,877	209,877	209,877	209,877
Total	30,044,650	29,924,295	29,927,240	30,086,420

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital....	14,553,000	14,553,000	14,553,000	14,553,000
Rest	3,077,384	3,106,835	3,067,271	3,056,796
Public Deposits	4,914,388	4,997,054	7,287,063	8,034,220
Other Deposits	10,969,389	10,649,502	9,608,436	9,450,246
Seven Day and other Bills	1,155,963	1,230,216	1,156,875	1,189,966
Total	34,666,124	34,536,607	35,672,645	36,284,218
Government Securities, including Dead Weight Annuities..	14,209,962	14,292,170	14,316,185	14,316,185
Other Securities	9,744,702	9,778,216	9,697,076	10,267,023
Notes	9,997,075	9,817,185	10,884,675	10,921,525
Gold and Silver Coin ..	714,385	649,036	774,709	779,485
Total	34,666,124	34,536,607	35,672,645	36,284,218

COUNTRY BANKS.

Average Aggregate Amount of Promissory Notes of Country Banks, which have been in Circulation in the United Kingdom, distinguishing the several Banks, or Classes of Banks by which issued in each part of the Kingdom, during the weeks ending 23rd March, 20th April, and 18th May, 1850.—(Continued from p. 192.)

Banks.	23rd March, 1850.	20th April, 1850.	18th May, 1850.
England—Private Banks	3,514,709	3,699,886	3,729,338
Joint Stock Banks	2,676,802	2,855,122	2,896,657
Scotland—Chartered, Private, and Joint Stock Banks.....	2,993,621	3,014,526	3,194,711
Ireland—Bank of Ireland, Private and Joint Stock Banks	4,490,324	4,488,785	4,468,835
Total.....	13,675,456	14,058,319	14,289,541